

MRS. SAM HOUSTON House

~~Margaret Lee Home~~

Independence, Washington County, Texas

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Owner Mrs. Eva Williams

Date of Erection 1848 1830's (?)

Architect Unknown

Builder Mr. Isaac Root

Present Condition Good

Number of Stories Two stories

Other Existing Records

Materials of Construction Cedar

Additional Data Mrs. Lea, mother of Mrs. Houston bought this place for Mrs. Houston. Mrs. Houston died in this home in 1867 of yellow fever.

The front of the house has been restored; other parts original.

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ADDENDUM TO:
MRS. SAM HOUSTON HOUSE
Farm Road 390
Independence
Washington County
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REDUCED COPIES OF MEASURED DRAWINGS

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